But He's a Freeman Now and Wouldn't Be Drafted Except to Help the Press.

MAYOR AND WALDO MUM

Some Politicians See a Tammany Move in Measure That Passed the Assembly.

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Every year since Big Bill Devery was ousted as chief of police and the office abolished, which was about ten years ago, there has been introduced in the Legislature a bill providing for a chief and a deputy chief of police in this city. Each year the bill has been killed or allowed to die. It has appeared again this year and Assemblyman Abram Goodman of the Twenty-sixth district is the father of it.

The bill, to the surprise of many politicians, passed the Assembly on Thursday and there were policitians around town yesterday who thought it might get through the Senate. Others were just as confident that it wouldn't, and it was predicted that if the bill passed the Legislature Mayor Gaynor would veto it.

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that the chief of police shall have \$6,000 and the deputy chief \$5,000 a year. The bill was reported out of the Assembly Cities Committee, of which James A. Foley, who represents Tammany Leader Murphy's district, is chairman. The Assembly is Republican and the Senate is Democratic. Some persons think that it may have been a Tammany move to get the bill through the Assembly and although it had been introduced by a Republican to pass it in the Senate, where there is a Democrtaic majority.

Mayor Gaynor and Police Commissioner Waldo would make no comment on the bill yesterday. Ex-Police Commissioner Bingham said he did not think that the

Bingham said he did not think that the bill was a good one.

"From the point of view of good government and the best interests of the community," he said, "it introduces a fatal defect in administration."

Mr. Devery was found in his real estate office in West Thirteenth street signing checks and handling real money.

"That's all I'm doing these days," he said, "taking in cush and paying out a whole lot of it."

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"Let me tell you this," he replied. "All I know of the bill is what I read in the morning newspapers. But I see that an Assistant Corporation Counsel who seems to think he's it says the bill is a joke. Where does he come in? Don't these Assemblymen who are sent there by he people know what they are doing?

"Now you couldn't hand me anything on a gold platter; I've had ten years of freedom; I'm a free man. Get that? I wouldn't take anything from any party or any organization in any shape, manner or form. I might do this. If the press of this great city, the empire city of the world, should find itself in a tangle and wanted me to help it out, and asked me, and I could do it. I'd do it. That's all there is to that."

"How about the present police situation and the recent so-called wave of crime?" he was asked.

"Excuse me," said William Stephen Devery; "I ain't goin' to be drawn into that."

CLEVELAND MANSE BOUGHT.

Birthplace of President Becomes Property of Memorial Association.

Caldwell, N. J., March 8.—The Manse of the First Presbyterian Church here, the birthplace of Grover Cleveland, has been purchased for the Cleveland Memorial Association, which will hold it as a memorial to the former President.

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his examination of Mr. Hasiet told how he failed to recognize the names of Theodore Roosevelt, President Taft or William Jennings Bryan. He seemed to believe the doctor said, that Johnson was still President.

"This in itself is so conclusive," remarked Attorney Menkin, who is acting morning. CALDWELL, N. J., March 8 .- The Manse The purchase price is \$20,000. Title to the property will pass next week, and for the present it will be held in the Dr. William Morris Butler and Dr. John for the present it will be held in the names of John H. Finley, president of the College of the City of New York: George W. Perkins and Cleveland H. Dodge of Caldwell. The association will take over the property as soon as it can be incorporated under the laws of New Jersey.

The sum of \$5,000 has been contributed by the residents of Caldwell. They promised to do this much when the Memorial Association started to raise a \$50,000 fund. The full amount has been raised, much of it coming from New York men engaged in the life insurance business. President Thomas A. Buckner of the New York Life and President W. A. Day of the Equitable have contributed largely. The collection of funds, which has

gone on for about a year, has been brought to a close at approximately the seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of Cleveland. This comes on the 18th of this month. On the evening of March 17, which is Sunday, a memorial service for Cleveland will be held in the Caldwell Presbyterian Church. Dr. Finley, who was an intimate friend of Mr. Cleveland and has been the prime mover of the Memorial Association, will preside. President Hibben of Princeton will also be there, and it is hoped that Mrs. Cleveland may be able to come.

What remains of the association's fund after the Cleveland birthplace is paid for will be used partly to restore it and fit it up as a public memorial. But the larger part of the remaining But the larger part of the remaining fund will be spent in the erection of a town library to be known as the Cleveland Memorial Library. This will be built of stone on the same lot as the manse and near to it. As the property acquired includes nearly two acres of land a small park will be laid out about the two buildings. The town of Caldwell will care for the old parsonage.

The house in which Cleveland was born has been the manse of the First Presbyterian Church of Caldwell for more than three-quarters of a century.

Presbyterian Church of Caldwell for more than three-quarters of a century. It was occupied for about a dôzen years by Mr. Cleveland's father, then a Presbyterian minister. Mr. Cleveland spent six years of his boyhood there before his father went to Buffalo to preach. The house itself is in the eastern part of the town, a large and plain frame structure.

CONVENT FOR EAST 68TH ST.

Literary Society of St. Catherine Files Plans for It.

The Literary Society of St. Catherine, a religious order, has filed plans for a convent to be known as the Convent of St. Catherine of Siena, to be built on the St. Catherine of Siena, to be built on the north side of Sixty-eighth street, 175 feet east of First avenue. James J. F. Gavigan is the architect.

The convent will have a plain facade of brick and marble. A large meeting room, wine cellar, store rooms and laundry will occupy the basement and the first floor will contain a small chapel, a choir room with an altar, four parlors, a refectory, kitchen and one chamber. The second floor will contain a large recreation room, five chambers and two bedrooms, the third floor containing seven chambers and two bedrooms. On the roof will be a large solarium. The cost is estimated at \$30,000.

TRUCKING AND LIVING COST. CURFEW RANG THE Gov. Dix's Commission Learns of Double Trips and Rebates.

The trucking business in its relation to the high cost of living was looked into yesterday at 202 Franklin street by Chairman William Church Osborn and Calvin J. Huson and Ezra Tuttle of the Food Investigating Commission. W. C. Taber of the Urner-Barry Company said butter. eggs and poultry come to the city in cold storage cars are trucked to the receivers. cold storaged then trucked to the jobber from whose iceboxes they go to the grocer

finally to the consumer. John J.Gillen, a truckman, said that two horse trucks cost \$7 a day to run, that he lost money on long hauls, made a bit

by more than one truckman, that between warehouse and consumer are often two intermediaries.

"Wouldn't one middleman and one trucking do?" asked Mr. Osborn.

"Yes," answered the witness, "as far as the consumer goes they would, but poor terminal facilities make more handling necessary at present."

L. Van Name, treasurer of the F. C. Linde Company, cold storage, said that direct railway delivery to storage houses should materially lessen the present trucking charges, and that large motor trucks would do the same because they could carry more tonnage. Every truckman present thought otherwise.

SAMUEL HASLETT

Four Specialists Agree-Attorney Lord Estimates His Wealth at \$500,000.

The commission, composed of ex-Justice William D. Dickey, Dr. Thurston H. Dexter and Charles J. McDermott, appointed to inquire into the mental condition of Samuel E. Haslett, the aged recluse of 138 Remsen street, Brooklyn, and his competency to care for his large estate, held its first session vesterday in the Sheriff's office in Brooklyn, with a Sheriff's jury of

Dr. Cecil McCoy, a specialist in mental diseases, testified to his examinations of Mr. Haslett on February 23 in company with Dr. Wight and Dr. Minton. Haslett. he said, when asked what year this was insisted that it was 1898. He could not remember the names of his brothers or sisters. He denied that he had given power of attorney to any one and said he had made no will. He said he had left all his money to "my wife, who is seated opposite." pointing to a trained nurse. His wife has been dead for twenty years. The witness said that the old man was hopelessly insane.

Dr. J. Sherman Wight in describing his examination of Mr. Haslett told how the failed to recognize the names of Them.

Dr. William Morris Butler and Dr. John E. Wilson, the other alienists, concurred in the opinions of Dr. McCoy and Dr. Wight, diagnosing the case as senile

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John B. Lord, attorney for Mr. Haslett, on being called to the stand said that he would indorse any action to better his client's position. He estimated the old man's property as worth \$500,000, of which \$210,000 is in real estate and the remainder in bank deposits and securities. The value of the antiques, art treasures and other furnishings at the Remsen street house was placed at \$180,000.

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Mr. Lord said that Mr. Hasiett had always given liberally to charities and that his gifts last year amounted to \$4,000.

The members of the commission wished to know whether it were not possible to have Mr. Haslett before them in person and Mr. Lord said that he thought not.

The hearing was adjourned until Wednesday. Wednesday

USED MRS. HUNTINGTON'S NAME

Judgment on Alleged De Luxe Book Sale Set Aside for Fraud.

Fraudulent representation in the sale of de luxe edition books in which the name of Collis P. Huntington figured resulted in a reversal vesterday by the Appellate Division of a judgment for \$2,500 obtained by Schwartz Bros. against Mrs. Jeanette P. Goin on a promissory note made it P. Goin on a promissory note made in October, 1910, to the order of Samuel Rosen-

Justice Laughlin says in his opinion tha Rosenfield fraudulently represented to Mrs. Goin that he had a de luxe edition of the

Rosenfield fraudulently represented to Mrs. Goin that he had a de luxe edition of the works of Dickens, on which he owed \$8,000 and which Mrs. Collis P. Huntington was ready to buy at a price that would give him a profit of \$13,000. He asked Mrs. Goin to give him \$500 in cash and notes for \$2,500 and \$5,000 to make up the \$8,000 and he would deposit the books in the Night and Day Bank as security.

Rosenfeld said that Mrs. Huntington was then out of the city and that as soon as she returned he would deliver the books to her and pay the defendant the \$8,000 and \$1,000 for the loan. Mrs. Goin never heard from Rosenfield again, and when Schwartz Bros. brought suit on the first note of \$2,500 she set up the defense of fraud.

On the trial Benjamin Schwartz, one of the plaintiffs, testified that his firm was really in the lewelry business, but that five days after the note was made Rosenfield exchanged it for jewelry. Mrs. Goin testified that Rosenfield exchanged it for jewelry. Mrs. Goin testified that Rosenfield called at her house with a note purporting to be signed by Mrs. Huntington representing that she would pay \$32,000 for the set of Dickens, but that she was then out of town. Mrs. Goin said she told Rosenfield she didn't want to advance the money and notes until he had been identified, and that thereupon he brought Benjamin Schwartz to her house, who told her that Rosenfield was "all right," and added, "In fact I am coming in on this deal little bit myself". Schwartz denied that he ever called on Mrs. Goin, but her daughter corroborated her testimony.

The court orders a new trial and directs that the issue of fraud be submitted to a jury.

Seamen's Society Has Its Hands Full

A curious byproduct of the severe the American Seamen's Friend Society is the unusual number of shipwrecked and destitute sailors who have been lander within New York in the past four months within New York in the past four months. The American Seamen's Friend Society is the first port of refuge for such as these and the society's activity in relieving distress this winter has been greater than ever before. In the last four months the number of destitute seamen who have been given free food, lodging and clothing at the Scamen's institute at 507 West street has averaged more than 200 a month.

KNELL ON BLOOM'S LIFE

Employment Agent Whom Court Ordered to Be Home by 9 P. M. Shoots Himself.

COULDN'T STAND CHAFFING

Brooded Over the Alternative Workhouse Penalty-Wife Left Him After All.

Walfrid Bloom, for whom curfew has been ringing at 9 o'clock every evening since Magistrate Appleton so ordered it on the complaint of Bloom's wife, offering as an alternative six months in the workhouse, shot and killed himself vesterday afternoon in the rear room of his employment agency at 747 Lexington avenue. The police believe that the suicide was the result of the state of melancholy into which Bloom was driven the chaffing he got from neighbors and associates and by the fear that he would miss getting in on time some night and have to go to the workhouse, of which place he had frequently expressed a great horror.

Frank L. Bailey, the agent of the property at 747 Lexington avenue, yesterday afternoon went to Bloom's office to follow up a dispossess notice which had been served upon the employment agent. He found the door locked, and while he was waiting for some one to answer his knock he heard a shot. He got Policeman Sheehan and the two broke in the door and found Bloom lying on floor with a bullet wound in his head. A revolver lay beside him. He lived for a few moments, but was dead when Dr

a few moments, but was dead when Dr. Hall of Presbyterian Hospital arrived. Coroner Hellenstein took charge of the body and ordered it removed to the Morgue, since Mrs. Bloom, who, it is said, had left her husband and is living somewhere in The Bronx, could not be found. Bloom was arraigned in the Yorkville court on February 12, and at that time his wife, Mary, testified that he made love to the young women who came into ais office to get employment, and took some of them out to the theatre in the evening. She said also her husband frequently beat her Bloom admitted that he was somewhat dilatory about getting home nights, but declared that he went out to escape his wife's nagging tongue. Magistrate Appleton said that he didn't want to break up the home and would put the husband on probation and that he must be home every night at 9 o'clock." It's no use ordering him to be in the house at 9 o'clock. Mrs. Bloom objected.

go out at 9:30 o'clock with Sophia or some other girl."

Whereupon the Manitan other girl."

Whereupon the Magistrate further ordered Bloom to take his wife along whenever he went out after 9 o'clock in the evening. Bloom wanted to know if when he went to a Turkish bath he might when he went to a Turkish bath he might leave his wife at home and bring back a receipt for his bath payment, but Magistrate Appleton ordered that he must patronize the Turkish bath before 9 o'clock in the evening. Mrs. Bloom was also admonished "not to go around with a chip on her shoulder all the time."

Bloom declared at the trial that he was paying \$175 a month rent and had his life insured for \$14,000 for his wife's benefit.

"But I don't see how I can stay in the house with her every night," he said.

said Mr.Carnegie with vigor. "I have no quarrel with Mr. Roosevelt. I am his dmirer always, but I am not on his side of the present controversy. I am an ardent supporter of Mr. Taft and think he is deserving of a second term. Deservedly, did I say? Why, the American people would be the gainer, not that whole souled lovable Taft. I quite agree with Secretary Stimson's recent speech, and all that he claimed for Taft is true."

It was turning the tables rather for him to be the interrogator. Informed that the peace treaty had passed, 76 to 3. he was astonished and overjoyed, but as he read of the many amendments and of the alteration of clause 3, Article 3, his pleasure soon vanished. He was plainly

most disappointed.

"They have not done as they promised,"
he said. "Too bad, too bad! But I will he said. "Too bad, too bad! But I will not comment upon this matter until I 'now more. That man Bacon of Georgia his been the stumbling block, fighting it tooth and nail, while Lodge has been its champion."

Clause 3, Article 3, gave a joint high commission power of a final decision as to whether or not a difference was subject to arbitration.

OSTEOPATH LOSES SUIT.

Court of Appeals Decides Doctors Must Sign Death Certificates.

ALBANY, March 8.-The right of the

New York City Board of Health to prescribe that certificates of death must be signed by a medical practitioner was today upheld by the Court of Appeals, which in so doing sustained the decision of the lower courts.

The right of the board was tested by Charles F. Bandel, who, while president Charles F. Bandel, who, while president of the State Society of Osteopaths two years ago, sent a death certificate to Dr Sylvester T. Byrne, register of records in the Health Department in Brooklyn. "Dr. Byrne refused to accept it, although Bandel declared he had complied with a law opening the way for official recognition of osteopaths the year before. Burial was not permitted until a Coroner's physician had certified that everything was regular. was regular.

PLEA FOR DRUG STORE PHONES. Petition Signed by 4.160 Persons Reaches

Public Service Board.

ALBANY, March 8.—The Public Service Commission, Second District, has received a petition 226 feet in length, signed by 4,160 persons, asking the commission to induce the New York Telephone Com-pany to make reasonable terms for the retention of public telephones in drug istores. The petition recites that drug stores, from their territorial distribution and accessibility at all hours, have been the most convenient location for public telephones.

\$20 in Conscience Money.

Collector Loeb received yesterday in an envelope postmarked "Chicago, March 7," four sheets of note paper of the Great Northern Hotel, Chicago, and one \$10 and two \$5 bills. The Collector inferred that the donor intended the money for the conscience fund and it was sent to the Treasury Department. There was no scratch of writing on the paper, and the address was typewritten. BRANDT CASE IMMUNITY.

Schiff and Gans Sald to Be Willing to Sign a Waiver If Needed.

De Lancey Nicoll, counsel for Mortimer L. Schiff and Howard S. Gans, said yeserday that his clients are willing to sign a waiver of immunity if by that means they are permitted to go before the Brandt conspiracy Grand Jury. Mr. Nicoll made this statement after his attention had been called to a story that originated in the Criminal Courts Building that Schiff and Gans may decline to waive immunity.

District Attorney Whitman was most of the day yesterday looking up the statutes and precedents that bear on the statutes and precedents that bear on the matter of immunity in conspiracy cases. He will submit a brief to General Sessions Judge T. C. T. Crain which will contain both sides of the question. Judge Crain will decide next Thursday, when the Grand Jury again convenes, whether Schiff and Gans may testify.

Mr. Whitman had heard, he said, stories that the bottom had dropped out of the

that the bottom had dropped out of the Brandt ivestigation and that it was now certain the Grand Jury would take no action. In answer to these stories the District Attorney said:

"I will not discuss Grand Jury proceedings, but I will say that this investigation has dayslored watters that were

ceedings, but I will say that this investigation has developed matters that were not thought of at the outset. The inquiry has proceeded slowly and surely. It has gained strength as it went along. Carefully refraining from touching on the alleged scandal, the Grand Jury has interested itself only in the actual point at issue—was Folke E. Brandt as the result of a conspiracy sent to prison for thirty years for a crime he did not commit? Definite progress has been made. That is all I can say."

But Anthony Fiala Thinks Ex- suits in all three stores now. plorer Is Safe in Canadian Wilds.

Capt. B S. Osbon, who was and con- ing goods. tinues to be Dr. Cook's strong champion as the north pole discoverer, and among other things fought Chinese pirates '52, has been a whaler in the Arctic and Antarctic regions and carries the title of an admiral in the Mexican navy, said yes terday that Canadian Government Agen A. J. Bell at Fort Smith in the Northwes Territory had written him a letter dated Warren St. January 15 saying that two Indians who had been with Harry V. Radford, a Brook lyn man who is hunting and studying the wood bison and exploring the region about the Great Slave Lake, 600 mile north of Edmonton, had deserted him last fall. The letter showed by Capt. Osbon said that the Indians had turned up at Fort Resolution on the Great Slave Lake and said that Radford was unaware that they were leaving him, as they had

Anthony Fiala, secretary of the Arctic Anthony Fiala, secretary of the Arctic arcecipt for his bath payment, but a receipt for his bath payment, but a green for his payment, but and his life insured for his payment, but a green for his pa Club, however, did not fear for the safety

Lake, 100 miles in length.

His danger is in being without food, said Mr. Fiala, but as long as he is with another white man it is probable, Mr. Fiala thinks, that he has been able to with Form with Form with the communication with Form. get into communication with Fort Churchill on Hudson's Bay. He has been away three years.

MAYOR CAN'T STOP CATS.

And Is Mr. Gerdes Sure It Is the Ton cats That Are to Blame. Theodore R. M. Gerdes of 5 Van Nes

place wrote Mayor Gaynor yesterday saying that he could not sleep for tomcate and would the Mayor do something? The Mayor wrote in reply: I regret to say that I have so man

official duties pressing upon me that I cannot just now devote any time to the There are a few in my neigh borhood, but I go to sleep and let then It amuses them and doesn't hur But some say that it is the pussy cats

that howl and not the tomcats. How is that? We must not kill Tommy for the sins of Pussy. And, also, let us remem-ber that the "female of the species is more deadly than the male. W. J. GAYNOR, Mayor

MR. MORGAN'S VILLA.

Cragston Soon May Be Transferred to Palisades Commission.

NEWBURGH, N. Y., March 8.-Word comes from Highland Falls that preparations are being made for the transfer by J. P. Morgan of the famed Cragston Villa to the care of the Interstate Palisades Park Commission. Soon after the transfer to the commis-

sion of the prison site at Bear Mountain and the contribution of the thousand acres of woodland by Mrs. Harriman in accordance with a request of her late hus-band it was announced that Mr. Morgan

would soon add Cragston.

This property is close to Bear Mountain and has a river front of hundreds of feet and extends half a mile back into the country. All the buildings have been kept in the finest condition by a large force of employees.

BANK ROBBERY CHARGE FAILS.

Not Enough Evidence to Hold McNamara for Stealing \$375,000.

Whatever evidence the Canadian authorities may have tending to implicate John McNamara, otherwise known as Austral-ian Mack, in the \$375,000 robbery of the branch of the Bank of Montreal at New Westminster, B. C., last September, they have not sent enough here to induce Com missioner Shields to hold the prisoner. McNamara was arrested in this city in

January and has had several hearings before the Commissioner on the bank before the Commissioner on the bank robbery charge. Charles Fox, counsel for the British Consulate in New York, saw as the case progressed that some other charge would have to be preferred or he would lose his prisoner. Accordingly McNamara was served with a new warrant charging him with the theft of an automobile from the Trapp garage in New Westminster on the morning the bank robbery was committed. A machine similar to the one McNamara is charged with stealing was employed in the bank enterprise. The prisoner will have a hearing on the automobile charge next Thursday.



While you boys have been coasting we've been making boys' Spring clothes smarter than any we've ever shown. That was some job.

But styles do change and our boys' suits must show all the latest wrinkles.

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of our designers, this smart slimness is a good deal of an optical illusion. There's no need of a boy's

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UNTERMYER CALLED IN.

in Stilwell Road's Failure.

President Arthur E. Stilwell of the Kansa City, Mexico and Orient Railway, which went into the hands of receivers on Thurs-day, refused to see reporters yester From Kansas City it was reported

found a system vicious and dangerous beyond conception, but one that is still within the law. Under existing conditions independent railroad construction is at an end in this country except to the effent that it may be sanctioned by these interests.

But yesterday morning Mr. Untermyer himself announced that he was acting for British interests, including Lord Monson, Cecil Braithwaite, Frederick Hurdle and P. D. Tuckett. A "committee" is going to be organized, Mr. Untermyer said. "All interests will be represented" thereon. The personnel of it will be announced soon. The understanding is that it will be a stock-holders' protective committee.

President Willard V. King of the Columbia Trust Company, which has already been named as depository under the reorganization, said yesterday that he was getting together a bondholders' protective committee. Notice about it was sent out last night to bondholders and on Monday probably the personnel of that committee will be announced.

STEEL DOES BETTER.

Inquirles and Orders Indicate a More Favorable State of Market.

Inquiries and orders for railroad equipment disclosed yesterday showed a more favorable state of the steel market than has existed for several weeks. The larges inquiry was for 350 locomotives for the Missouri Pacific, which will be placed in small lots during the next few weeks.

The Vandalia Railroad ordered fifty steel gondolas from the Cambria Steel Com-pany. The Wabash inquiry for thirty locomotives will probably be placed with th Baldwin Locomotive Works this week. The Baldwin works will furnish thirty-flye engines for the International and Great Northern and nine Pacific type locomotives for the Southern

The Hocking Valley Railroad has or-dered 4,000 tons of rails from the Cam-bria Steel Company and the Clinton and Oklahoma 3,500 tons of rails from the same company. The Interborough Rapid Transit Company has inquired for 5,000 tons of steel

The New York Central Railroad ordered earnings in February increased 7.2 per small tonnage of structural steel from the cent. The export trade maintains its faa small tonnage of structural steel from the American Bridge Company and has inquired for 150 tons more of the material. There

for shipment during the third and fourth quarters.

The price of scrap iron was advanced materially by the purchase of 5,000 tons heavy melting scrap by the United States Steel Corporation, but it is believed that the large accumulations of scrap by the dealers will not be brought out until the price is above \$14.

The total production of pig iron in Canada in 1911 was the largest in the history of the Dominion, amounting to \$24,345 tons, an increase of \$4,135 tons as compared with 740,210 tons produced in 1910.

Got Near Butter Price for Oleo. Chief Inspector John F. Norton of the Department of Agriculture yesterday arrested John J. Ryan in The Bronx and rested John J. Ryan in The Bronx and charged him with having thirty pounds of unmarked oleomarsine in his cart. He was selling it for butter at 32 cents a pound. He was taken to the Tremont police station and later released under \$500 bond. He is said to have paid 15 cents a pound for his product.

PLAYHOUSE 48th. E. of B'way. Phone 26 Bryant. Evs. 8:10. Mats. 2: BOUGHT AND PAID FOR MATINES Trany, Wed., Inur. William Collier's COMEDY, 41st, E. of B'was Evs. 8:15. Mat. BUNTY PULLS THE STRINGS To-day 2:15. DALY'S, B'y & 30th. Evs. 8:15. Mat. To-day Last Week Here Next Week, Bijou Thea. THE TRUTH WAGON LEWIS WALLER IN MONSIEUR BEAUCAIRE

Beginning MON., MAR. 11 (Seats on Sale WHITNEY OPERA CO. In BARON TRENCK MANHATTAN Op. Ho. | Bath THE PENALTY Ev. 8:15, Mat. To-day 2:15, | 8Av. | THE PENALTY Next Week—Amberg's Viennese Operatic Co. NEW YORK'S LEADING THEATRES.

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IN THE TYPHOON.

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Mais. To-day & Wed. 2:20.
EDDIE FOY in OVER THE RIVER
with CABARET Show.

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

In Face of Adverse Conditions a Large Trade Movement Persists Here. Dun's sings of oncoming spring and re

benefits to snow protected winter t: "An increased movement of trade reflects the near approach of spring, and what is of greater significance, the admirable conditions prevailing in the winter wheat sections produce a more buoyant feeling in Western trade circles and the whole business situation is benefited thereby. This is all the better because of unsettling influences prevailing in many parts of the world. In Mexico and China, in England, where a menacing coal strike produces temporary trade paralysis, and to a much less degree in the United States, where an important election is impending "These conditions tend to unsettle busi-ness confidence, so that it is all the more significant that a large trade movement is in progress in this country, with plain signs of expansion, even though without any marked speculative discounting of the future. Copper continues to advance. At the leading cities a stimulative influence is the breaking up of winter. This espe-cially is expected to make the building trade more active. Bank clearings this week gained 20 per cent. over 1911 and 7.6 per cent. over 1910; and railroad gross

vorable aspect." for 150 tons more of the material. There are several other small inquiries for fabricated steel for railroads before the market. The Reliance loft building on Thirtieth street and Fourth avenue will require 1,800 tons of structural steel. The contract has been awarded to Miliken Bros. The American Bridge Company will fabricate 250 tons of structural steel for the new municipal building at Hartford.

In the pig iron market in the local district inquiries during the last week have aggregated about 20,000 tons, but there have not been any large orders closed.

The purchases of pig iron of various grades by the large steel companies during the last three days have aggregated 35,000 tons and there are negotiations practically completed for other large purchases. The Algomah Sieel Company is negotiating for about 50,000 tons of bessemer and basic for shipment during the third and fourth quarters. Bradstreet's enumerates some signs

KINDLING WOOD TRUST.

Permanent Injunction Against Doing Business Is Not Opposed.

The Government won a victory yesterday its prosecution of the Standard Wcod Company and other concerns which con-stituted what is called the kindling wood stituted what is called the kindling wood trust. The Government's petition was filed last summer and charged the defendants with being a combination in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The defendants paid scant attention to the suit. With the exception of one or two of the minor companies involved it failed to put in any answer at all. Yesterday when Assistant United States Attorney Knapp applied to Judge Coxe for a final decree embodying a perpetual injunction restraining the constituent companies from continuing their conspiracy and vacating their contracts with one another the defendant corporations did not interpose any opposition.

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National Electric Signalling Co. and Marcont Co. in New Litteration.

The National Electric Signalling Compa filed suit yesterday afternoon in the United States District Court against the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Americal alleging that the plaintiff company has ex alleging that the plaintiff company has ex-clusive right to use the transmitting or receiving wires as erected in the modern practice of wireless telegraphy. The Mar-coni company has already pending against the National company an action for alleged infringement of a patent for the present day method of tuning the circuits. The retalistory action of the National Electric Signalling Company will tend to settle controversies over ownership of modern methods of wheless telegraphy.

